Rao Bahadur M. Narayana Menon *(Commissioner of Police)*: We can spend only a portion of the income of the lottery.

Mr. K. R. Viswambharan *(Ezhuvas-Talappalli)*: Is it not a fact that at the time of sanctioning a lottery, specific conditions are laid down by the Government? May I know whether Government are in a position to state that all the lotteries except this Yogakshemom Lottery have satisfactorily closed their accounts?

Rao Bahadur M. Narayana Menon *(Commissioner of Police)*: Yes. All the final accounts have been closed.

LICENSES FOR TAPPING—No. OF COCOANUT TREES FOR WHICH ISSUED

332. Mr. K. R. Viswambharan *(Ezhuvas-Talappalli)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) the number of cocoanut trees in respect of which licenses for tapping were issued to toddy shop contractors in the 1st half of 1117;

(*b*) of the trees mentioned in (*a*) how many were situated in Trichur Taluk and how many outside;

(*c*) the amounts due and collected as tree tax by the Excise Department in respect of the trees mentioned in (*a*);

(*d*) the number of tapping trees in respect of which licenses were applied for by the toddy shop contractors of Trichur Taluk for the second half of 1117; of the number applied for, how many were from Trichur Taluk and how many from outside?

Mr. B. V. K. Menon *(Offg. Commissioner of Excise)*:

(*a*) 23,968 cocoanut trees.

(*b*) 8,019 cocoanut trees in Trichur Taluk.
15,949 cocoanut trees outside Trichur Taluk.

(*c*) Rs. 95,872 is the amount due.
Rs. 95,382 is the amount collected so far.

(*d*) 5,907 cocoanut trees, 124 sago trees. Of these 4,420 cocoanut trees and 124 sagoes were taken from Trichur Taluk and 1,487 cocoanut trees were taken from outside Trichur Taluk.

SPECIALISTS IN THE VARIOUS HOSPITALS—PARTICULARS REGARDING THEIR APPOINTMENTS, ETC.

333. മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എസ്സ്. പണിക്കർ: താഴെ പറയുന്ന ചോദ്യങ്ങൾക്കു് ഗവമ്മെണ്ടു് ദയവായി മറുപടി പറയുമോ.—

(എ) നമ്മുടെ ആസ്പത്രികളിൽ ഓരോ പ്രത്യേക രോഗത്തിനു് വിശേഷാൽ വൈദഗ്ദ്ധ്യം നേടീട്ടുള്ള എത്ര ഓണററി ഡോക്ടർമാരെ നിയമിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടു്;

(ബി) അവർ ആരെല്ലാമാണെന്നും ഓരോരുത്തർ ഏതേതു രോഗചികിത്സക്കാണു് വിദഗ്ധന്മാരെന്നും ഓരോരുത്തരുടേയും നിയമിച്ച കൊല്ലം, മാസം, തിയ്യതിയും ഓരോരുത്തരുടേയും മെഡിക്കൽ പരീക്ഷാബിരുദങ്ങളും പറയാമോ;

(സി) ഇവരിൽ ആക്കെങ്കിലും ഓണറേറിയം കൊടുത്തുവരുന്നുണ്ടോ;

(ഡി) ഉണ്ടെങ്കിൽ ആക്കൊക്കെയാണെന്നും ഓരോരുത്തക്കു് എത്ര ഉറപ്പിച്ച വീതം ഇപ്പോൾ കൊടുത്തുവരുന്നുണ്ടെന്നും ഏതേതുകൊല്ലം, മാസം, തിയ്യതികളിലാണു് കൊടുത്തുതുടങ്ങിയതു എന്നും പറയാമോ;

(ഇ) ഈ വിദഗ്ധന്മാരിൽ ആരെയെങ്കിലും ശമ്പളത്തിൽ നിയമിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ;

(എഫ്) ഉണ്ടെങ്കിൽ അതു് ആരൊക്കെയാണെന്നും എത്തു് ശമ്പളം വീതം കൊടുത്തുവരുന്നുണ്ടെന്നും അതു് എന്നുമുതല്ലാണെന്നും പറയാമോ?

ഡാക്ടർ ടി. വറുഗീസ്സ്: (എ) നാലു്.

(ബി) ലിസ്റ്റു് അനുബന്ധിച്ചിരിക്കുന്നു. *(Appendix I)*

(സി) ഇല്ല.

(ഡി) ഉത്തരം ആവശ്യമില്ല.

(ഇ) ഉണ്ടു്.

(എഫ്) മിസ്റ്റർ പി. മാധവമേനോൻ, ശമ്പളം ൧൨൫—൫—൨൫൦, ൧൦—൮—൧൯൨൯ മുതൽ.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South)*: May I know why of the four people who have been working as honorary, one man alone has been taken to the Government service?

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Dr. T. Verghese *(Chief Medical Officer)*: There were paid men in all the three departments. It was the only department where there was not a paid man. Government thought it better to have a paid man there also.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South)*: May I know, Sir, in hospitals there are not honorary doctors without pay?

Dr. T. Verghese *(Chief Medical Officer)*: Yes. There are.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South)*: Why this particular partiality for this gentleman?

Dr. T. Verghese *(Chief Medical Officer)*: There was no partiality shown. As I said, in the ophthalmic hospital there were three paid men. Government thought it better to have a paid man there also.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South)*: Do the Government think in places where honorary men are working in other hospitals, they also will be taken on a paid system?

Dr. T. Verghese *(Chief Medical Officer)*: Honorary men are being taken.

E. N. T. EXPERT—APPOINTMENT OF

334. Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether they have noted in the "Malabar Mail", dated 6th Meenam 1117 an article by "നീതി" (Justice) under caption "E. N. T. Department" in the General Hospital;

(*b*) whether all the specialists in the Medical Department are paid men;

(*c*) whether Government has once on the floor of this House declared that their policy will be to recruit medical graduates who are specialists or for satisfying the principle of communal inequality in services;

(*d*) whether Government has made any recruitment to the Medical Department going against the principle stated above;

(*e*) if so, on how many occasions;

(*f*) the qualifications of the present E. N. T Specialist in the General Hospital;

(*g*) whether Government be pleased to inform the House of their decisions on the issues raised by the article referred to above?

Dr. T. Verghese *(Chief Medical Officer)*:

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) No.

(*c*) No such assurance seems to have been made.

(*d*) and (*e*). Do not arise in view of answer to question (*c*).

(*f*) L. M. & S. and special training in the E. N. T. Department at Bangalore.

(*g*) The post of the E. N. T. Specialist has been made a paid one.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEONS—NAMES AND COMMUNITIES TO WHICH THEY BELONG

335. Mr. K. R. Viswambharan *(Ezhuvas-Talappalli)*: Will Government be pleased to state the names of persons with the community to which they belong, who were appointe to the posts of the Sub-Assistant Surgeons (in the paid cadre) in the Medical Department for the last one decade (from 1st Kumbham 1107 to 1st Kumbham 1117)?

Dr. T. Verghese *(Chief Medical Officer)*: Vide list appended. *(Appendix II).*

Elections to the Standing Finance Committee & Road Board—List of Valid nominations regarding

Mr. President: The following are the lists of valid nominations to the Standing Finance Committee and the Road Board.

(*i*) Standing Finance Committee.—

1. Mr. C. N. Ittiravi Namboodiri, proposed by Mr. Puthur Achyuta Menon and seconded by Mr. K. Ashtamoorthi Namboodiripad.
2. Mr. T. S. Ramachandra Ayyar, proposed by Mr. M. L. Joseph, and seconded by Mr. M. K. Devassy.
3. Mr. V. K. Bhaskara Menon, proposed by Mr. C. Kunjan Namboodiripad and seconded by Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.
4. Mr. A. B. Salem, proposed by Mr. P. Govinda Menon and seconded by Mr. C. R. Iyyunni.

(*ii*) Road Board.—

1. Mr. K. Kochukunhan Kaimal, proposed by Mr. P. Govinda Menon, and seconded by Mr. C. R. Iyyunni.
2. Mr. A. L. Antony, proposed by Mr. M. L. Joseph and seconded by Mr. C. V. Iyyu.

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